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16 September 1967

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director of Science and Technology

OX CART mission BX6722 was flown on 16 September 1967 against targets of interest in North Vietnam. This was the tenth BLACK SHIELD mission to date.

25X1A The aircraft departed Kadena AB at 0244Z and accomplished two runs over North Vietnam. The mission duration was 3+51 hours. Recovery to Kadena AB was normal. Pilot reports target weather was worse than briefed on both runs. Preliminary reports indicate there was some [] on second run. Camera systems appeared to function properly. Due weather deterioration; only fair results can be expected from mission take.

25X1A This will be the first BLACK SHIELD mission take to be processed by []

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ATTACHMENT

OX CART MISSION DATA

Mission BX6722

Date Scheduled: 16 September 1967

Date Flown: 16 September 1967

Mission Completed as Planned: Yes

Mission Abort:

Ground: N/A

Air: N/A

Mission Cancellation: N/A

Reason: _____

Mission Recalled: N/A

Reason: _____

Precautionary Landing: N/A

25X1D Reason: _____

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Remarks: None.

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